

WESTWOOD RECREATION DEPARTMENT



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2015 SUMMER PROGRAMS

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Registration begins on Monday, May 4, 2015 at 9:00 am at the Recreation Department or on-line at www.westwoodnj.gov.

Payment may be made in the form of cash, check or money order payable to: "Borough of Westwood"

NON-RESIDENTS: Non-Residents may register beginning on Monday, May 11th for an additional \$25.00 per program.

REFUNDS: If you are not 100% satisfied with any of our programs, you will be issued a full refund.

CLOSINGS: Most Recreation Programs are NOT held on Borough Holidays or when the Westwood School System is closed.

INSURANCE: Medical accident coverage is provided for all programs administered by the Recreation Department as a secondary insurance. If you do not have other insurance, this policy becomes the primary insurer.

CANCELLED PROGRAMS: The Recreation Dept. reserves the right to cancel or alter any program due to insufficient registration or any other logistical reason. Full refunds are given for cancelled programs.

BOROUGH HOLIDAYS: The Recreation Department will be closed on the following dates: Monday, May 25th (Memorial Day) and Friday, July 3rd (Independence Day)



SUMMER PLAYGROUND PROGRAM

REGISTRATION BEGINS MONDAY, MAY 4TH



The **6 week** Summer Playground Program will be held June 22nd - July 31st and is available to all children age 4 through the 8th grade (as of 9/15). The Berkeley Pre-School Program hours are 9:00am-12:30pm.

The Berkeley Kinder.-3rd grade Program and the 4th-8th grade Brookside and Voorhis Park Program hours are 9:00am-3:00pm. Each grade group will be assigned specific counselors that will supervise them throughout the entire summer. Children will enjoy daily activities and special events and the older groups may sign up for a variety of trips (at an additional fee). Each child will be issued 2 t-shirts, at the time of registration.

Fee: \$250.00 per child. Non-residents: \$350 (\$25.00 late fee for any registration received after May 29th.)

BEFORE CARE AND AFTER CARE AVAILABLE

The Summer Playground Program will offer before care from 7:30-9:00am and after care from 3:00-5:30pm at Berkeley School for children entering Kind-3rd grade and at Brookside Park for children entering grades 4-8.

Before care \$ 200.00, after care \$300.00 per child for the entire six week program!

Pick up a Summer Playground Parent Handbook at the Recreation Department after May 4th

The Recreation Department is currently accepting applications for non-paying volunteer Counselors-in-Training (CIT'S) who are entering their Freshman or Sophomore year in High School in September.



SUMMER TENNIS LESSONS



TGA Premier Tennis of Bergen County will have trained USTA instructors teach the newest and latest techniques in a fun and engaging environment. Classes are full of high energy, physical fitness and educational components. All equipment is provided by TGA. This **3 week** session will include the following classes held at McKinley Park on Mondays and Wednesday beginning on June 29th. **Fees: Children \$89.00 Adults \$99.00**

Beg/Adv. Beginner Grades K-1: 4-5pm, Grades 2-4, 5-6pm, Grades 5-8, 6-7pm, Adults 7-8pm



SUMMER CAMPS

All camps will be held August 3-7



Build It Art Camp: This camp is all about building really cool stuff like large scale sculptures, amazing structures, imaginative creatures, games & more using wood, paint and glue. Camp is held from 9:30am-12:00pm for children in grades K-3. Please provide a *nut-free* snack for your child. Fee: \$155.00. Visit www.abrakadoodle.com.nj04 for more info

Golf & Tennis Camp: TGA-Premier Golf & Tennis is hosting this full day Camp at Westwood H.S. for children in grades K-8. Using unique/innovative techniques that are specifically designed to maximize the learning experience for today's youth, TGA coaches teach the games of golf and tennis in a fun, non-intimidating environment. Campers will have the option to stay for the full day and try their hand at both sports or just do a half day, one sport camp. Tennis will be held from 9am-12 noon and Golf will be held from 1-4pm. Campers will be broken up into smaller groups, based on their age and skill. All skill levels are welcome. TGA provides all equipment. August 3-6 (Friday rain date) Fee: \$300.00 for both camps/ \$190 for single camp.

USSI Multi-Sports Camp: This camp is returning for its 10th year teaching and playing **15 sports** in one week at Brookside Park. You can choose: ages 6-14, 9am to 4pm, \$189.00; 9am to 12:30pm, \$159.00; 1-4pm, \$109.00 or ages 3-5, 4:30-5:30pm, \$89.00 (all children receive a T-Shirt) Visit www.ussportsinstitute.com for more information Rain Site: CC

Performing Arts Camp: Campers will have a blast learning all the skills to make it to Broadway; voice, dance and acting. On the last day, parents will be treated to an Oscar rated performance! Grades 3-6: 9am-3pm; \$185 at the CC

Crafty Kitchen Camp: Come cook and craft with us as we prepare tasty summertime treats and art projects with a different seasonal/ multicultural theme each day from 1pm to 3:30pm, grades 2-5. Fee: \$135.00

Teen Cooking Camp: Learn how to prepare various seasonal/multicultural recipes such as personal pizzas, s'mores bars, frozen treats and much more! 9am-11:30am, grades 6-9. Fee: \$135.00

Roller Coasters and Amusement Park Ride Camp - Team up with other classmates selecting the thrill ride of your choice & assemble an amazing construction. Teams will discuss, plan & form these sensational rides just like real engineers. You will also build your own take home mini-rider set. Learn all about roller coasters & the science behind them. Fee:\$175 Ages 6-12, 9am-12noon.

CSI-Crime Scene Investigation Camp: Come and join our Minds in Motion Crime Team as we learn all about forensics, searching for evidence & gathering clues. As young detectives in training you will learn about fingerprinting & bring home your own fingerprint classification sheet. Be amazed at how much science plays a part in solving crime. Fee: \$155.00 Ages 6-12, 1-4pm



REGISTER ON-LINE AT www.westwoodnj.gov It is fast, easy, convenient and secure, 24/7 !!!





WESTWOOD SPORTS ORGANIZATIONS

WESTWOOD YOUTH FOOTBALL

Registration is on Saturday, May 9th from 10:00AM to 2:00PM at Meadowbrook Park and Thursday May 14th from 6:30-8:30PM in the Community Center. On-line registration will only be available at westwoodyouthfootball.com. Program starts on Monday, August 3rd and is open to children in grades K-8. A copy of a birth certificate **MUST** be provided. The organization will run a free Mini Camp on Fri., June 19th (rain date 6/20) at Westvale Park for children in grades 1-6. Call Alex Myack at [201-951-8792](tel:201-951-8792) if you have any questions.

DRAGONS SOCCER CLUB

Tryouts for the Fall 2015/Spring 2016 Travel teams will be held during the end of April and early May. Times and locations will be posted on the website listed below. Registration for the Fall 2015 Recreation season will take place on-line starting April 15th and end on June 30th. There will be a walk-in registration for Recreation Soccer on Saturday, June 13th from 9am - 12pm at the Westwood Community Center for all Westwood and Twp. of Washington children in Kindergarten through 8th grade. For more information visit www.dragonssc.org.



SUMMER CONCERT SERIES







The Bandstand in Veteran's Park is the place to be on Thursday's evenings at 8:00pm in July. Enjoy some of the most talented bands in the area. Bring your chairs and enjoy the entertainment!

July 2nd - Soul Groove (R&B)
July 9th - Real Diamond (Neil Diamond)
July 16th - Danny V & the 52nd St Band (Billy Joel)
July 23rd - Reminisce (Oldies)
July 30th - Tramps Like Us (Bruce Springsteen)

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SUMMER MOVIES IN THE PARK



Join us on Thursday evenings in August in Veterans Park on the Train Station Lawn at approximately 8:00pm. Bring a chair or a blanket. Rain Date is Friday.

August 6th - Frozen (2013) G
August 13th - Grease (1978) PG
August 20th - Paddington (2015) G
August 27th - Field of Dreams (1989) PG

**FREE POPCORN FOR
THE WHOLE FAMILY!!!**



**WESTWOOD
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WESTWOOD COMMUNITY BAND

This group of adult volunteer musicians is preparing now for their 15th season of Summer Concerts in Veterans' Park. Concerts will be held on Fridays, June 26th, July 3rd, 10th, 17th, and 24th at 8 PM, and Sunday, Sept. 6th at 3 PM. (rain site is the Community Center) Light classics, show tunes, patriotic selections and big band music are performed by the Concert Band, Jazz Band, Brass Band, Dixieland and Ragtime Ensembles and various quartets and quintets. New members are *always* welcome. If you play a woodwind, brass, or percussion instrument, or piano, guitar or bass, please contact Tom Offerjost at 201-666-4066 or email: wwcommunityband@optonline.net and visit www.westwoodcommunityband.org for more information.

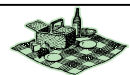
*****WESTVALE PARK*****

Westwood's newest 30 acre park features a .6 mile walking/bike path with access to the Pascack Brook County Park and a dog run with separate areas for large and small dogs. There is also a playground for children ages 2-12 that is completely wheelchair accessible. The park also has the following fields with lights:
 2 multi-purpose fields, 2 smaller ball fields, a regulation baseball field and softball field. There is also a bathroom facility with a covered pavilion and 6 picnic tables.

PLEASE VISIT & ENJOY THIS PARK !



FOR YOUR INFORMATION...



PARK PICNICS Residents can reserve a picnic area at the following parks: Brookside, Hegeman or Westvale. The requested date must be submitted at least 30 days in advance. There is \$25.00 fee at Westvale Park only. An insurance certificate and a \$100 clean-up deposit will be required. Applications can be found at www.westwoodnj.gov.
PICNIC BAGS: Families and non-profit groups can reserve an assortment of outdoor game equipment such as volleyball, softball, badminton, horseshoes, relay batons, 3-legged ropes, potato sacks, wooden egg & spoon, tug-of-war ropes and more. Please provide us 3 days notice. Fee \$25.00

WHAT'S COMING THIS FALL???

- **Pre-School** registration begins on **Tuesday, April 28th** at 9:00am. Contact the Rec. Dept. for prices and a parent handbook. Ages as of 10/1/15: 4-5 yr olds (9am-12pm), 3 yr olds (12:30-2:30pm), M/W/F at the CC
- **Children's Programs:** Girls Field Hockey & Volleyball, Mommy/Daddy and Me, Soccer Squirts, Golf, Tennis, Dance, Piano, Art, Science & much more!
- **Special Needs Programs:** Art & Basketball
- **Adults:** Volleyball, Tennis, Basketball and Fitness
- **FREE Forever Young Fitness** classes Tues/Thurs/Fri for resident adults 55 and older in the CC



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